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1963 NOV 27 18 33Z

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FROM NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION CENTER. SUBJECT: FILM
EVALUATION MISSION 3238.

27 NOV 1963

1. CAMERA C 118 WAS USED IN MISSION ~~3238~~ FLOWN ON 10 NOVEMBER
1963; PROCESSING WAS ACCOMPLISHED BY EASTMAN KODAK.

2. ORIGINAL NEGATIVE:

A. THE RESOLUTION IS GOOD EXCEPT IN ALL OUTBOARD
CORNERS WHERE THERE IS A SIGNIFICANT DROP IN QUALITY. THE
EXPOSURE IS ADEQUATE BUT THE DENSITY OF THE NEGATIVE
VARIES FROM THIN TO HEAVY DUE TO THE PARTICULAR COMBINATION
OF SUN ANGLE AND HEAVY SNOW COVER.

B. 9R SIDE: SEE PARAGRAPH D.

C. 9L SIDE: SEE PARAGRAPH D.

D. BOTH SIDES: THE METERING IS SLIGHTLY ERRATIC
THROUGHOUT THE FILM. MINOR, INTERMITTENT EDGE STATIC TRACES ARE
PRESENT ON ALL FILM EDGES THROUGHOUT THE MISSION. WEAK IMAGES OF
SEVERAL POSITION INDICATORS ADJACENT TO THE CORRECT
INDICATOR LAMP ARE OBSERVED IN EACH FRAME. THE VERTICAL
INDICATOR DOT IS OVEREXPOSED AND BLOSSMED. THERE ARE 3542

HFS

CJS

CPC

PMS

ACL

Grace (File)

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GROUP 1
Excluded from automatic
downgrading and
declassification

TITLED FRAMES ON EACH SIDE OF THIS MISSION.

E. NO MAJOR CAMERA MALFUNCTIONS OR PROCESSING FAULTS WERE
ENCOUNTERED.

3. POSITIVE:

A. PI SUITABILITY IS GOOD.

B. PRINTING AND PROCESSING ARE GOOD.

C. CLOUDS OBSCURE APPROXIMATELY 25 PER CENT OF THIS
MISSION.

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